Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, September 12, 1887.

The City Council met Sept. 12th. Present—Mayor Cowan, Aldermen Taylor, Jarvis, Davis, McDonald, Greer, Moule, Bowman, Moore, Vining, George Taylor, Dreaney, McIntosh, Hesman.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

were read as follows:—

John Scandrett and a number of others, asking for walks and crossings on the improved portions of the old Exhibition grounds. No. 2 Committee.

From James Snow and others—For a lamp on the corner of Richmond and Victoria streets No 3.

Regrading streets—Samuel Flory. No. 2

Petitions re taxes—From Mrs Nichol, E. Ramsey, I Danks, J. M May, R. G. Balmer (per Hutchinson & McKillop), Mrs. Hanson, J. F Cryer, Edward Hickey, et al., for Mrs. Googhan; Mrs. Gardiner. No. 1.

From C. A. Kingston—Stating that his draft of the voters' lists for 1887 was interfered with by Mr. Thomas Browne, one of the city assessors, who undertook to add thereto by inserting a name not on the assessment roll, and by changing figures and other minor alterations. He had carefully eliminated from the said lists every name, mark and change of Browne's that he could find, and had revised these lists since the Court of Revision concluded its labors, and they were now in the hands of the printers. He gave this information to protect himself, because he alone was responsible for the correctness of the lists.

Referred to No. 1.

Claim of $5 from M. H. Gevel for damage to garden in the construction of a sewer No. 2

From the Rev. F. G Levingston, Elizabeth street Church—For use of East End Hall on 17th of October. Granted.

Mrs. Duncan—Offering $10 for use of west store in Fifth Ward Hall during Fair week.

From Charles H. Pope—Application for rent of one of the stores in the Fifth Ward Town Hall during Fair week.

Referred to the members of the Ward, with power.

From Agnes Mitchell—*Re* claim for damages, and asking that a fence be erected beside the M.C.R. on Bathurst street.

Ald. Taylor moved that the City Engineer be instructed to notify the company to build the fence.

Ald. Davis seconded, and the motion was carried.

Durand and Moore—That streets approaching the Military School be graded. No 2

William Robinson—Declining to take any part in furnishing particulars as to the water supply Filed.

From Graydon & McCann—Threatening action at law unless Mr. Fisher's claim for damages to property by the grading of Dundas street is allowed., No. 2

C. F. Colwell, *et al*, to reconsider resolution *re* changing names of Salter, Peter and Palace streets.

Ald. Vining moved to make the three streets referred to known as Prospect avenue, and that a by-law be prepared to make the change.

Carried.

J. D. Saunby, for London West Methodist Church—For City Hall seats, to be used in Princess Rink on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights next week. Granted.

W. Burchitt—For free use of City Hall for Salvation Army meetings on September 18 and 19 Granted.

From R. K. Cowan—Complaining of old frame buildings on corner of Fullarton and Talbot streets, as they encroach on the street and damage the surrounding property. No. 2 with power.

J. G. Shuff—Asking that the street lamp in front of his place be not interfered with. No 2.

From Reeve of Newburg, Ont.—Asking